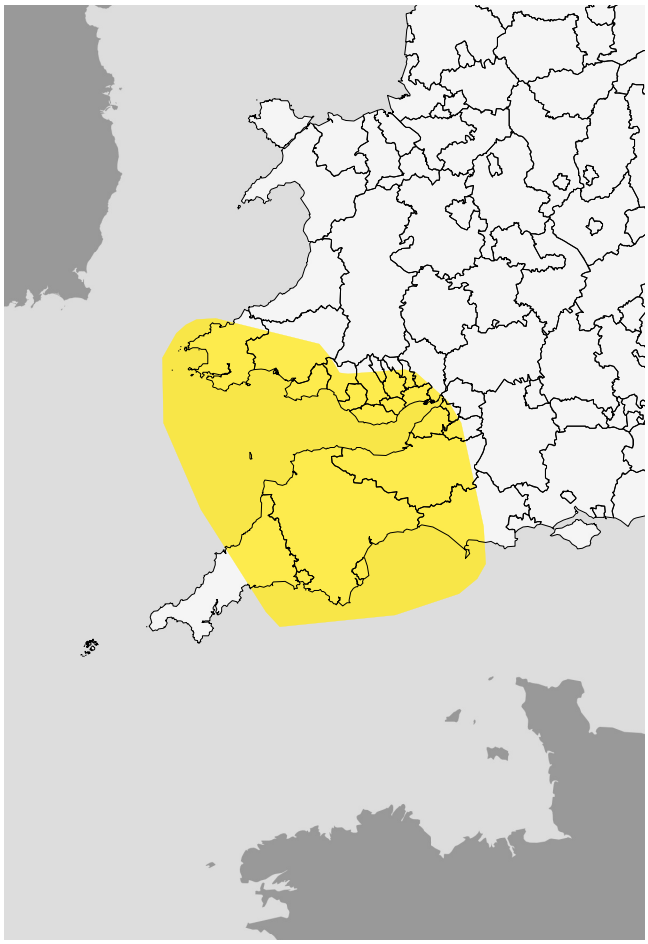
Yellow warning
Thunderstorm

Between
09:33 Wed 8 Sep 2021 and
21:00 Wed 8 Sep 2021



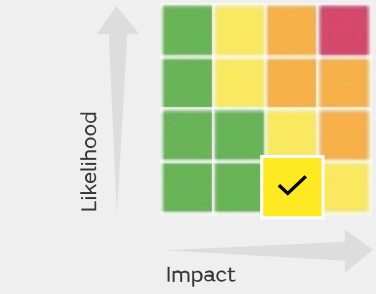
Mainly dry for many areas Wednesday but there is a chance of heavy rain and lightning bringing some disruption.

What to expect

- There is a small chance that homes and businesses could be flooded quickly, with damage to some buildings from floodwater, lightning strikes or perhaps hail
- Spray and sudden flooding could lead to difficult driving conditions and some road closures
- Where flooding or lightning strikes occur, there is a chance of delays and some cancellations to train and bus services
- There is a small chance that some communities become cut off by flooded roads
- There is a slight chance that power cuts could occur and other services to some homes and businesses could be lost

Further details

An area of showers will move northwards across southwest England and south Wales on Wednesday. Whilst many areas will see little rainfall there is the chance of some heavy and thundery downpours developing, particularly late in the afternoon. Where these occur 30-50 mm of rain could fall in less than 3 hours though only a few spots would likely see these totals. Lightning may also be a hazard during the day.



Very low likelihood of medium impacts

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Reason for update

Warning start time has been brought forward to account for thunderstorms currently affecting south Devon and soon south Cornwall.

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All regions & authorities affected

South West England

Bath and North East Somerset Bristol Cornwall Devon Dorset North Somerset Plymouth Somerset South Gloucestershire Torbay

Wales

Blaenau Gwent Bridgend Caerphilly Cardiff Carmarthenshire Merthyr Tydfil Monmouthshire Neath Port Talbot Newport Pembrokeshire Rhondda Cynon Taf Swansea Torfaen Vale of Glamorgan

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